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## LORD RAGLAN'S WEDDING TO PEER'S DAUGHTER



Bridesmaids to the Hon. Julia Hamilton and trainbearer, Master P. Stedall.



Lord Raglan and his bride, the Hon. Julia Hamilton, after their wedding.



Mr. L. F. Heald with his bride, Miss Flavia Forbes, carrying a sheaf of lilies.



Master John Warrender and Master Ian Forbes, who were Miss Flavia Forbes' pages at her wedding yesterday.



Miss Hamilton's trainbearers, Master Peter Stedall and Miss Kathleen Thring.

Many titled persons attended the wedding yesterday at St. Margaret's, Westminster, of Lord Raglan and the Hon. Julia Hamilton, daughter of Lord and Lady Belhaven and Stenton. The bride wore a white satin dress with train of silver tissue held at the

shoulders by two diamond stars, the gift of the bridegroom. Miss Flavia Forbes, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel James Stewart Forbes and Lady Angela Forbes, was married at St. Peter's, Eaton-square, to Mr. Lionel Frederick Heald.



## BRILLIANT FAIR OF FASHION.

Creations of the World's Best Designers.

## WOMAN'S PARADISE.

"Daily Mirror's" Wonderful Pageant of Dress.

Every woman who would gain the self-assurance that comes from being perfectly dressed should visit *The Daily Mirror* International Fashion Fair, which opens at the Holland Park Rink next Monday.

Everything that combines to make My Lady elegant, charming and satisfied with her toilettes will be on view. There will be nothing that is second rate in this Fashion Fair of the "Hundred Best."

All the wonders of the world, all the creations of brains devoted to the service of womanhood will be displayed in perfect conditions and surroundings. Fashion Fair will be a paradise for women.

## MODES AND METHODS.

Fashion Secrets That Every Woman Should Strive to Learn.

The woman who leads a comparatively quiet life often finds that a tour of the shops exhausts her. The Fashion Fair will save her from this discomfort.

Lingers also, the true names of which thrill the woman of taste, refinement, who is of every description. The name of Thresher, for instance, is a guarantee that the daintiest garments, beautifully made of fine fabrics, will be on view.

All the skill calculated to give a slendering effect to the figure will be shown to guide the home worker in making charming underwear. All the fancies of 1923 in the world of umbrellas, walking-sticks and sunshades will make a wonderful splash of colour—walking-sticks that smart women will be carrying on their morning walks—the queer little dumpy sunshades that will add to the charm of summer toilettes, parasols for punts and riverside use.

### LURE OF BEADS.

Beads have invaded the world, not only of sunshades, but even of umbrellas, for many those that John Leader will be showing at Fashion Fair have handles made entirely of beads in every shade.

From umbrellas and sunshades to hats is an easy transition. The new novelty in headgear will be shown by Zytot & Cie, who have made so many of the tresseur hats of the future Duchess of York.

One of their most fascinatingly simple yet alluring notions is the flower of shot taffeta which replaces the velvet flower of winter, while flowers of crisp organdie trim garden party models.

The semi-poke bonnet and the mushroom hat with flowing veil need careful adjustment in order to look their best. Women will be able to see exactly how every style of hat should be put on when they go to Fashion Fair next week. The Irish Free State makes its first bow to the public as an exhibitor at Fashion Fair. Workers from the various counties will weave the famous Irish home-spuns and make the lovely fragile lace used so extensively as a feature of so many Paris gowns in years gone by.

### FASHION PARADE.

Of course, the Fashion Parade, which will take place twice a day, will afford not only a wonderful view of exclusive designs by some of the most famous dress designers in London and Paris, but a sight once to the world's mannequins in a setting worthy of their grace and beauty.

One of the loveliest of all the frocks in the Parade will be the wedding dress devised by Fittella—a wedding dress fit for a fairy princess. Perfectly straight as to cut, only ankle length and with a deeply-scalloped hem, it is closely embroidered with pearls.

The lines and lines of the shoulder to hem, and here and there narrow panels are formed by an embroidery scroll-like in design. The long tulle veil is caught to one wrist by a trail of orange blossom and foliage, and the head-dress is a Russian one of pearls and orange blossom and white heather.

## "POLLY" BRIDESMAIDS.

Gorse Provides Novel Decoration at Two Weddings.

Flaming yellow gorse or broom provided the novel decorative effect at two London weddings yesterday.

Seven bridesmaids in golden yellow dresses made in the style worn in "Polly," and carrying bouquets of broom and forsythia, followed the Hon. Julia Hamilton, daughter of Lord Belhaven and St. John, at her marriage at St. Margaret's, Westminster, to Lord Raglan.

The bride wore a simple white satin dress lined with blue and an old Brussels lace veil lent by Lady Raglan.

Broom, which is the badge of the Forbes family, decorated St. Peter's, Eaton-square, for the marriage of Miss Flavia Forbes and Mr. Lionel Frederick Heald, of Parr's Wood, Lancs.

## VANISHED JEWELS.

Burglary Charge Against Man and a Cinema Actress.

## COUNTRY HOUSE VISIT.

A remarkable story was told at Westminster Police Court yesterday, when John Rogers, described as a stockbroker, and Ida Phillips, a cinema actress, both of whom were stylishly dressed, were remanded, charged with being concerned in a burglary at Lynford Hall, Norfolk, the residence of Captain F. Montagu, and receiving jewellery valued at £350.

Rogers was further charged with stealing a motor-car valued at £800.

Mrs. Louisa Montagu, wife of Captain Montagu, stated that Rogers was her nephew, and he had known Lynford Hall since he was a baby. When she saw him in custody he said he was very sorry.

Detective Owen said he arrested the pair at Cumberland-terrace, Edgware-road, where they were staying as Mr. and Mrs. Rogers.

Witness told Rogers that he would also be charged with the theft of a motor-car from outside a residence at Blackheath. Rogers admitted taking the car, in which he took a woman to Norfolk. He added, "I went up to the hall, opened the servants' door, went up a spiral staircase, and took the jewellery from three rooms."

The woman prisoner when arrested, said, "I went down in the motor-car with Rogers. He told me a friend had lent it to him. I know nothing about the theft of jewellery."

## MURDER THREAT.

Anonymous Letter Sent to An M.P. and His Wife.

Mr. Frank Privett, M.P. for Central Portsmouth, mentioned at a Unionist meeting there last evening that he had received an anonymous letter, printed in Roman letters, threatening to murder himself and his wife because in a



Mrs. Privett.

recent speech in Portsmouth she condemned proletarian Sunday schools.

Mr. Privett added that such threats were not going to deter him from expressing his views publicly or doing his political duty.

## MRS. HYNDMAN MYSTERY

Widow of Socialist Leader Found Dead in Bed by Servant.

The coroner, Mr. Walter Schroder, was notified yesterday of the death during the night at her residence, 15, Well-walk, Hampstead, Mrs. Rosalind Travers Hyndman, widow of Mr. H. M. Hyndman, former chairman of the Socialist Party.

Mrs. Hyndman was found dead in bed by a servant.

An inquest will be held. She was the second wife of the late Mr. Hyndman, to whom she was married in 1914.

## ZOO'S NEW CHIEF.

Dr. G. M. Vevers' 2,000 Post-Mortems On Animals and Birds.

The Zoo's new superintendent, Dr. G. M. Vevers, formally took over his duties yesterday. Dr. Vevers was previously engaged at the London School of Tropical Medicine, and during his short career—he is only thirty-three—he has performed post-mortem examinations on over 2,000 animals, birds and other creatures that have died at the Zoo.

It is, he told *The Daily Mirror*, due to him that the lioness who gave birth to cubs a few days ago is being kept quiet and undisturbed and that she and her cubs are doing well.

## 80,000 BULBS GIFT FOR HYDE PARK.

To provide a spring display of flowers in Hyde Park, the proprietors of the London Evening News have made a gift to the Government of 80,000 bulbs, in the planting of which leading British firms will co-operate.

Announcing the fact in the Commons yesterday, Sir John Baird (First Commissioner of Works) said: "This public-spirited gift, which I have gratefully accepted, will be greatly appreciated by visitors to Hyde Park, and will also the fact that the bulbs have been obtained from British firms."

## TUNNEL "ARSENAL."

Explosives and Fuse Under Sleepers at Glasgow.

## MASKED RAID HOARD?

One hundred and twelve gelignite cartridges and twenty-seven yards of fuse have just been discovered in the middle of a large tunnel which runs between two Glasgow suburban railway stations.

The explosives were hidden in a shallow hole between the ends of two sleepers about a foot from one of the rails.

The police are certain that whoever placed the material there had no intention to commit an outrage, but had simply hidden it until a suitable opportunity arose for transporting it to the rebels in Ireland.

The authorities believe that the explosives are those stolen by armed and masked men from a workman at a quarry near Glasgow last week. Two young men are in custody in connection with this armed "hold up."

## IRISH 'ORDER' IN LONDON

Letter from "O.C., Expeditionary Force," to Newspaper.

"O.C., Irish Expeditionary Force," is the signature appended to a remarkable letter received yesterday at the London office of the Dublin *Freeman's Journal*.

The letter orders the removal from the office windows of photographs of the Irish National Army leaders, and forbids the display of photographs of Ministers of a bogus Government for a part of the Irish nation called the "Irish Free State."

"Failure to comply with this order," the letter concludes, "will be regarded as a serious offence."

## HOTEL SHOTS DRAMA.

Inquest Story of Revolver Shots at Girl in Bedroom.

The story of a hotel tragedy was told yesterday at an inquest on Rosa May Shirley, thirty, of Brendon-street, Marylebone, who was fatally shot in a bedroom of a private hotel in East-bourne-terrace, Paddington.

With her was Ernest Kidd, a private in the South Staffordshire Regiment, who is in hospital recovering from a bullet wound.

Miss Durrant, a cousin of the dead girl, stated that on the night in question she stayed at the hotel where the girl was shot.

Entering the room which her cousin and Kidd occupied, in the morning, she told them of having lost some money.

As she was leaving the room, she stated, she heard Kidd say: "Give Alice the pound I promised her." The dead girl replied: "That pound of mine."

The next moment there was a report, and her cousin rushed out of the room bleeding from the arm. Kidd, she alleged, followed her—Miss Durrant—brandishing a revolver. She rushed into her room, locked the door and heard more shots.

The inquest was adjourned till April 30 to allow Kidd to be present.

## LIBERALS GAIN SEAT.

Sir R. Thomas Wins at Anglesey—Re-Unionists' Delight.

The result of the by-election at Anglesey, delayed yesterday, was a gain for the Liberals. Polling figures were:

Sir R. Thomas (Lib.)	11,116
Mr. E. T. John (Lab.)	6,388
Mr. O. Roberts (Con.)	3,385

Liberal majority 4,748

In an electorate of 27,365 there were 11,503 women, and 76 per cent. polled.

Sir Robert Thomas will be introduced in the Commons by an Independent Liberal, and a National Liberal, Liberal "re-unionist" M.P.s

he delighted with his victory, his majority exceeding their most sanguine expectations, says our Lobby correspondent.

There is little doubt that Sir Robert received enormous support from the women electors, and it is stated that the final touch to their enthusiasm was given by Mrs. Lloyd George, who addressed twelve meetings in the constituency.

Sir Lloyd George has wired to Sir Robert Thomas: "Congratulations on your splendid and significant victory. Anglesey has given a fine lead to Liberal unity."

## HONEYMOON AIR EXPRESS.

After their wedding to-day, a bridal couple will fly from Gidea Park (Essex) to Hindhead (Sussex) for their honeymoon.

## WINTER LOOKS IN AGAIN.

Surprise Snowfalls All Over the Country.

## BLINDING SQUALLS.

To-day's Forecast "Cold—but Becoming Milder."

Winter has returned to laugh at the weather optimists of a week ago, turn them blue with snow, frost, cold easterly winds, and out the early spring. To-day's forecast, however, is more hopeful.

Snow fell yesterday in many parts of the country. Some of the Welsh peaks are white. "Becoming milder" is the more cheerful forecast for London to-day.

At 9 a.m. in Kensington yesterday the temperature was 42.5deg., as compared with 70.4deg. at this time of year in 1922, and snowflakes were seen in several parts of London.

## EXPERTS CORRECT!

Cheerful Spirits at Weather Office in Spite of Blue Noses.

The only people in London (at any rate) who seemed at all pleased about the change in the weather were the Meteorological experts.

The reason for their unnatural joy was that their weather prophecy the day before turned out to be correct in almost every detail.

It read:—

Moderate or fresh easterly winds, strong in exposed places. Fine, rather cold.

They had, of course, omitted to mention snow, a prophecy which only a very daring expert would make.

### MILDER OUTLOOK.

A representative of *The Daily Mirror* called at the Meteorological Office yesterday to offer congratulations on the forecast and was received by an official with dignity.

"Thank you," was his modest reply. "We are glad that the forecast has proved to be correct."

The London forecast for to-day is:—Light or moderate north-easterly winds; mainly drizzle; some rain or drizzle; visibility moderate; cold at first, becoming milder.

This forecast applies to South-East England, East England and East Midlands.

Yesterday was cold in all districts, said the late report of the Meteorological Office. Last night, more particularly in the east, and snow or sleet fell generally in the East and South-East of England, but the amounts, except locally along the south-east coast, were insignificant.

### WHERE THE SNOW FELL.

Deal, Folkestone, Lowestoft, Yarmouth, Tunbridge Wells, Ramsgate, Hastings, East-bourne all had their share of snow or sleet. Snow fell elsewhere yesterday in:—

Derbyshire Peak district, South Lincolnshire, East Yorkshire, Leeds, North Wales, East Surrey, Dover, Bournemouth, South Dorset, Isle of Wight.

In Wales the peaks of Snowdon, Cader Idris, Plynlimmon are covered in snow.

The snow squalls over Dover and the English Channel were frequently blinding.

## £1,000 FUR HAUL.

Theft from Lady Terrington's House—Taxi Used in Flat Raid.

Lady Terrington, returning to her Mayfair house after the Easter holidays, found that thieves had broken in and stolen Kamchaka furs, valued at about £1,000.

Driving up in a taxi to the Holland Park flat of Mr. Guerchen, a smartly-dressed young man yesterday broke into and ransacked the flat. Missing articles include a platinum and gold brooch, diamond shaped, with diamonds and other jewellery, a fur cape and stole, evening gowns and ladies' clothing, also £214

## OTHER NEWS IN BRIEF.

Lighting-up time to-day is 7.45 p.m.

Sir Charles Gill, K.C., left £85,025.

A "plague" of locusts has devastated many Transvaal farms.

Convicted of bigamy, Thomas Fawcett, an expellee, was sentenced at Glasgow yesterday to eighteen months' hard labour.

Four Lunatics Escape.—Three youths and a girl who were patients of the Manor Mental Hospital at Epsom escaped yesterday.

Capsize Boat Tragedy.—While practising rowing on the Thames at Boreas, Kent, Horace A. Harcourt, twenty-one, was drowned through the boat capsizing.

Teacherless Schools.—Nearly 30,000 Croydon children were sent home yesterday, when the schools reopened after the Easter holidays, the teachers being on strike.

Mr. Frank B. Noyes, president of the Associated Press of America, was guest of honour at a dinner given by Sir Roderick Jones, chairman of Reuters, last night at Claridge's.

## 'DAILY MIRROR' FASHION FAIR HOLLAND PARK HALL: Monday Next



# FRANCE IN RUHR TELL ALL REPARATIONS ARE PAID

**M. Poincare Defines His Attitude Towards M. Loucheur's Visit to London.**

## MR. BONAR LAW'S DENIAL IN THE COMMONS

**General Conversation With French Statesman, But No Approval Given to the French Occupation.**

In a telegram to Brussels M. Poincaré has cleared the air with regard to M. Loucheur's recent visit to London.

There has been no weakening of the French position. M. Loucheur, he says, was not entrusted with any mission and the reparations policy of the French Government has undergone no change.

M. Poincaré's main declaration is unequivocal—"French troops will not evacuate the Ruhr until complete reparations have been paid by Germany."

Mr. Bonar Law, in the Commons yesterday, denied that M. Loucheur was given an expression of British approval of French action.

## NO NEGOTIATIONS UNTIL PRINCESS YOLANDA WEDS GERMANY SURRENDERS. CAVALRY CAPTAIN.

**M. Poincaré's Message to Premier in "Black Shirt" Garb at Rome Ceremony.**

### FRENCH RIGHTS UPHELD.

PARIS, Monday.

"Pertinax," in the *Echo de Paris*, states that in a telegram to the Belgian Government M. Poincaré takes the opportunity to explain his attitude towards M. Loucheur's visit to London.

M. Loucheur was not charged with any mission, the French Premier says, and the reparations policy of the French Government has not changed.

French troops will not evacuate the Ruhr until reparations are completely paid.

M. Poincaré holds to his former declaration regarding the total of the German debt, and will not agree to any reduction of the French rights.

He is ready, however, to agree to the "C" Bonds being annulled on an arrangement being reached regarding the money owing to England and America.

"Pertinax" adds that it would be somewhat premature to assume that conversations between France and England are on the point of reopening.

### TO LIGHTEN BRITAIN'S BURDEN.

M. Poincaré, as a matter of fact, has recently informed Mr. Bonar Law that he could not reopen negotiations until Germany capitulated. He awaits concrete proposals from Germany.

The object of the Ruhr occupation, says the *Temps* (quoted by Reuter), is not to extract concessions from our creditors, but to obtain payment from our debtors, and by so doing it will lighten the burden of the British taxpayer.

It is stated at the Quai d'Orsay, says the *Exchange*, that the next conference between M. Poincaré and M. Thomsen, the Belgian Premier, will take place on Friday in Paris.

The *New York Herald* understands that M. Loucheur and the Earl of Crewe will be present. 500 Million Marks—The town of Essen has been ordered to pay within ten days a fine of 500 million marks in respect of the murder of the French soldier Schmidt on March 13.

Full Wages for the Idle.—M. Dayras, chief of the Financial Commission in the Ruhr, reports that the Ruhr magnates, in order to further their policy of resistance, are paying full wages to their workmen, although they are idle, and that the Berlin Government has subsidised a fund for this purpose.—*Exchange*.

## PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

**No Approval of French Action Expressed to M. Loucheur.**

In the Commons yesterday Colonel Wedgwood asked the Prime Minister whether, during the interview M. Loucheur had with him last week, the French statesman placed before him any suggestion for the solution of the Ruhr situation, and for the internationalisation of the Rhineland to be guaranteed by this country? The Premier: No, only a general conversation took place.

Commander Kenworthy: Is it true, as reported, that the Prime Minister expressed, on his own behalf and that of the Government, his approval of the French action in the Ruhr? The Premier: The subject is in the negative. The subject was never raised.

### DORIS HAWKER FOR ENGLAND.

Doris Hawker, the little English girl committed to the care of an Anglo-Indian couple, and whose case was discussed in the Commons, leaves Madras for England on the *Neuralia* on Thursday.—*Reuter*.

ROME, Monday.

Princess Yolanda (eldest daughter of the King of Italy) and Captain Count Calvi di Bergolo, Italian cavalry, were married this morning in the Pauline Chapel at the Quirinal at half-past ten.

The bride wore a white gown made of ancient lace, simply trimmed with silver. Two war orphans acted as pages.—*Exchange*.

Before the ceremony in the Pauline Chapel, says Reuter, the civil marriage was celebrated in the throne-room of the Quirinal Palace, a large hall richly draped in crimson damask.

The Premier, Signor Mussolini, was present, acting as a witness of the Crown. He and other Ministers wore the uniform of the Fascist.

Princess Yolanda had a kind thought for sixty-four other couples who were married yesterday at the register office at the Capitol. She sent each pair a beautiful box of sweets, a silver medal with the coats of arms of the Quirinal, and aeroplanes flew overhead as the newly married couple came out.

## GERMANS LANDING FISH.

**Mr. Esmond Harmsworth Asks for Bill to Prohibit Dumping.**

During the week-end eighteen heavily-laden German boats put into Aberdeen, but owing to numbers of fish porters joining the strike, six trawlers left without unloading their catches. Three of the remaining trawlers landed catches for yesterday's market.

Drawing attention in the Commons yesterday to the Aberdeen fishermen's strike, over the landing of fish by German trawlers, Mr. Ian Macpherson said that whereas German trawlers were allowed to trawl in the Moray Firth, British trawlers were barred from doing so.

Captain Elliot (Under-Secretary of Health for Scotland) said that as the Aberdeen Town Council had appointed a committee to confer with the interests concerned, it seemed unnecessary to complicate the situation by Government intervention.

Mr. Esmond Harmsworth asked whether the Government would bring in a Bill to prohibit German boats from dumping fish in any British port?

Captain Elliot: That is a question which should be addressed to the Leader of the House. Mr. Harmsworth: May I address the question to the Leader of the House?

The Speaker said the question ought to be put on the paper.

## TWO MAJORS MURDERED.

**Officers of Seaforth Highlanders Shot in India by Unknown Assassins.**

SIMLA, Monday.

Major Orr and Major Anderson, of the Seaforth Highlanders, while walking four miles out from Leh-Kul (North-West Frontier of India) yesterday, were fired at and killed.

The identity of the culprits is unknown. Friendly tribesmen brought in the bodies.—*Reuter*.

Major Fernley Anderson, D.S.O., M.C., was a son of the late Mr. F. H. Anderson, a well-known York solicitor. His wife was one of the botulism victims in a picnic party at Loch Marree last August.

Flying Officers D. R. Loch and H. M. Stringer have been killed in a Quetta air crash.



Mrs. Hyndman, widow of the famous Socialist leader, who was found dead, was home at Hampstead.  
Viscountess Rhonda, who is selling part of her Portsmouthshire estates. Tenants have bought £30,000 worth.

## TAX ON BETTING STILL A POSSIBILITY.

**Licensing of Bookmakers Under Consideration?**

### STAMPED SLIPS PLAN.

By Our Lobby Correspondent.

The rumour was revived last evening that the Chancellor is considering the practicability of a tax on betting.

The scheme, according to report, provides for the licensing of bookmakers and the establishment of a system of stamping betting slips as in the case of the entertainment duty.

The estimated yield of the tax is approximately £10,000,000. As the impost would legalise betting, it is certain to encounter strong opposition from religious bodies.

## SHOT BY RED TROOPS.

**Disorders in Moscow Follow Mockery of Easter Festival.**

Disorders have occurred in Moscow in consequence of the attacks against the Church and the mockery of the Easter festivities, says a Reuter telegram from Riga.

These disorders were put down by the Red Army, it is stated, and three Red soldiers were shot dead.

## GIRL'S INFATUATION.

**"We Love One Another and We Can't Help It," She Tells Recorder.**

"I will go back to my Jack. I don't see why it is wicked. We love one another dearly and we can't help it."

So declared Edith Mary Coffin, seventeen, to the Recorder at Bournemouth Quarter Sessions, yesterday, when it was stated she was infatuated with a married man named Wright. The girl was sentenced to three months in the second division for attempting suicide by taking salts of lemon.

Superintendent Garrett said the girl lost two situations through Wright, who denied associating with her.

She had been rescued from the sea and just before taking salts of lemon she engaged in a struggle with her sister for a razor.

Wright told the Recorder he was married. "Don't you think you are a blackguard?" asked the Recorder. Wright made no reply. "You, Wright, are responsible for this," said the Recorder. "No," interrupted the girl in the dock. Wright said he had no statement to make.

## NEVER SAY DYE!

**Process to Make Coloured Shirts Wash-Proof—14 Days' Boiling.**

In future laundries will have no excuse to offer if they return coloured-shirts washed white to their owners.

At the Drapery and Textile Exhibition, which opened at the Agricultural Hall yesterday, the amazing properties of a new dye (which is so fast that the inventor claims it will remain long after the material is worn out) are being demonstrated to members of the trade.

Shirts and pieces of material coloured in every conceivable shade with the new dye will be boiled without mercy for a fortnight as a supreme test.

Other shirts and jumpers will be washed in strong soap and soda water for a fortnight to see if they lose any colour.

Already during super shirts and jumpers have withstood eight hours' continuous boiling and washing, and instead of losing colour they have become brighter as each hour passes.

Although the secret of the new dye is jealously guarded, its main advantage is that it becomes fast as soon as it is exposed to the atmosphere.

### BERNHARDT'S FAVOURITE FLOWERS

Miss Viola Tree asks friends to bring flowers, lilac and parma violets—the favourite flowers of Sarah Bernhardt. The note is that the memorial service for the late actress at 11.30 a.m. to-day.

## HIDING HOUSING BILL BEHIND BUDGET.

**Both Promised to M.P.s Next Monday!**

## PROTESTS TO PREMIER.

**Demand for Building Plans Before End of Week.**

By Our Parliamentary Correspondent.

The Premier announced in the Commons yesterday that the eagerly-awaited Housing Bill is to be circulated next Monday—Budget Day!

This is regarded by M.P.s as extremely inconvenient, as the attention of the public will be concentrated on the Chancellor's statement.

Sir Kingsley Wood has consequently given notice to ask Mr. Bonar Law to-morrow to have the Bill available on Friday, so that the country may be able to consider it during the week-end.

Exclusion of the parlour house from the benefits of the Government subsidy is certain to excite bitter opposition, as it rules out the prospect of assisting the building of houses for the superior artisan and the small professional class.

It is proposed to take the second reading of the Bill on April 28. No date is yet fixed for the introduction of the Rent Act or the Housing Bill.

Members of all parties greeted Mr. Bonar Law on his reappearance after holidaying at Torquay, but were greatly disappointed when it became apparent that the attention of his throat is still giving him a lot of trouble.

## LEADER WARNS RAILMEN.

**Mr. Thomas Advocates Arbitration Before Strike is Enforced.**

"Very delicate and dangerous" was the description applied last night by Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., to the situation on the railways, and he advocated the submission of the companies' demand for a reduction of the shopmen's bonus of 6s. 6d. a week to the Railway Wages Board as an alternative to the national strike threatened by the N.U.R.

Mr. Thomas said the "contemplated attack on present conditions of service" would bring down the pay of a skilled fitter in London to £3. When the companies said the men could have further negotiations, he said, "I told the unions rejected the offer, and declared that if an attempt was made to put the demand into operation a national strike must immediately be called." (Cheers.)

"I don't let," commented Mr. Thomas, "why there should be any enthusiasm for a strike."

"You have no right to establish a precedent. The companies, in asking for that, are likely to meet by a reprint on your part. You would denounce that as Prussianism."

As a way out of the difficulty, Mr. Thomas suggested that the case of the shopmen should be referred to the Railway Wages Board—a suggestion which, he said, would be welcomed by the shopmen themselves.

If they went to the Wages Board they should say to the companies that there was a standard of living below which the railwaymen would not go, and that, in this matter, the N.U.R. would support the shopmen.

## CRITICAL LABOUR WEEK.

**Will Builders Avert Lock-out on Saturday?—Farm Strike Deadlock.**

This is a vital week for industry. Wages disputes involving over a million men are likely to reach their crisis during the next few days.

Representatives of the fourteen unions affiliated to the National Federation of Building Operatives met in London yesterday to consider of attitude towards the notices posted by the employers announcing that half a million men will be locked out on Saturday if proposals for reduced pay and longer hours are not accepted. At the close of the conference it was stated that the Central Disputes Committee would remain in session for the whole of the week, ready to enter into negotiations.

Much depends now upon the action of the employers, who meet to-day. Hope is expressed that both parties will consent to arbitrate.

A conference of both sides, held at Norwich, to try and discover a basis of settlement of the Norfolk farm strike, was adjourned until Thursday to await the result of the discussion in Parliament to-morrow.

The farmers refused to modify their terms.

## "THE JUDGMENT OF PILATE."

"The Judgment of Pilate" a new religious play, by the Rev. E. H. Barrett, who as a young man left the Stage for the Church, was produced at the Theatre Royal, Portsmouth, last night.

A theatrical producer who witnessed the performance predicted that the play would be more successful run than "The Sign of the Cross" achieved.





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Wimbledon, S.W.19.—8, Merton Rd., Broadway.  
Woolwich, S.E.18.—75, Pow's Street.  
Holloway, N.1.—49-51, Sever, Sisters Road.  
Chiswick, W.4.—116 and 120, High Road.  
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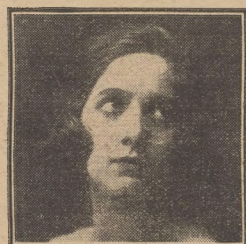
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# Daily Mirror

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1923.

## YOUTH AND DRINK.

**UNDETERRED** by opposition in Parliament and criticism outside, Lady Astor is stubbornly proceeding with her Youth and Drink Bill, as we may name the measure which would prohibit the sale of all intoxicating liquor for consumption on licensed premises to "persons of both sexes" under the age of eighteen.

And, of course, those whose one object in life seems to be to make the public-house a place no decent person can frequent, will accuse all others of a financial interest in brewing, or of a gross indifference to morals, if they venture to point out that the Bill will not achieve its object, or indeed any conceivable object, as it at present stands.

When it first made its appearance, we remarked that it would impose upon publicans the impossible task of estimating juvenile ages, of demanding birth certificates, of calculating, by the physiognomy and growth, the difference between eighteen and eighteen plus one month or more.

Since then, an accepted amendment has practically relieved the man or girl behind the counter of this duty by inserting the "wrecking" word "knowingly." The publican can only be convicted if he is already aware of the "person's" age.

He won't know. He will never know. And so the Bill is meaningless. It will effect nothing at all.

## A BOY'S MOTHER.

**A DEVOTED** worker in the poorest districts of London, once said that a boy's hazardous future in those toiling streets depends mainly upon his mother. "If his mother's all right, he will be all right." (The devoted mother, in spite of all difficulties, will somehow provide the right "environment.")

No school can do it perfectly. No interferences of a paternal State can replace the mother at home. And this conclusion is apparently reiterated by the L.C.C. experts who have lately investigated the relation between the individual child and his surroundings.

Slow rises worth by poverty depressed!—as Dr. Johnson knew. Nevertheless, intelligence, genius, even success are to a certain extent independent of class and circumstances. The rich child without happy home conditions is worse off, perhaps, than the poorest youth whose parents give him of their best in the way of guidance and love.

## FOR SARAH BERNHARDT.

**ENGLISH** actors and actresses, as well as countless other admirers of Sarah Bernhardt, will be glad of the opportunity, given them by to-day's service at Westminster Cathedral, of paying a tribute to her memory, and also to the art of the great country she represented "as an unofficial ambassador."

Sarah carried no themes of political dissension over the world, no diplomatic arguments. Better than any such propaganda was the sound of her voice as she murmured the lines of Racine, or of Victor Hugo.

Her acting taught many Englishmen to love French literature, and so to love France; and in spite of recent rather harsh criticisms, she alone could realise the French poetic drama in its perfection, however she may have been rivalled, in truth and sincerity, by others—or by one other.

England learnt first to admire her when France lay wounded after 1870. We never ceased to admire, till admiration was heightened by the story of her sufferings during the other war, in which *la Patrie* triumphed. To-day London will follow Paris in a last salutation to a great artist and a very gallant Frenchwoman. W. M.

# THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

Marriage and Pretty Faces—Five Foolish Mothers—A Hat from Paris—Coming to Work.

## CRAZY MOTHERS.

**PERHAPS** it is well that the papers are against this absurd London to Brighton walk by mothers wheeling perambulators.

I suppose that many of these poor women were anxious to get a little money to buy clothes, and therefore took on this extremely difficult task of walking to Brighton from London, wheeling their children in a perambulator.

The only way to put a stop to these absurd crazes for "beating the record" is for newspapers to stop giving any publicity to such things. K. H.

## SOMETHING FROM PARIS.

**SURELY** it is extraordinary how a woman will value anything that hails from Paris. A friend of mine showed me a hat the other day which was brought over by a girl friend. It

## CUSHIONS AND COMFORT.

**WOMEN** are too fond of cushions. Every week I wonder at some new creation of this kind, weirdly coloured, that has found its way into the drawing-room, or even my own study.

Most armchairs have been so designed that the body fits comfortably in them, but my wife and my daughter seem to think that I cannot be at ease unless I lean on a cushion that makes a hole in my back and rest my head on another that curls round my ears and is soon too hot to be endured. SOLICITOR.

South Kensington.

## CRITICAL CHILDREN.

**I HAVE** just had a long conversation with a small girl, aged six, about fairies and goblins and ogres, and I was thoroughly convinced by

## THE MERRY SPRING IN DEAR OLD ENGLAND.



After a few days of delusive warmth it generally descends upon us in the manner shown above.

was a small shiny hat, with an extraordinary cockade at the side.

She tried it on, stood in front of the mirror, turned to me and said, "Isn't it just too lovely?" The same evening, I saw a hat exactly like it in a milliner's shop window here for almost half the price she paid for it.

A MERE MAN.

## THAT EARLY MORNING FEELING.

**YOUR** correspondent, "A City Typist," asks why people are so in friendly in railway carriages, complaining that people do not make any attempt to make room for others.

It is the "early morning" feeling that makes us so unfriendly.

Another thing is that we are all so suspicious, and do not wish to get into conversation with other people.

If only we would remove this veil of mist we should be a better and happier race of people. Passengers in railway carriages should make every effort to brighten the journey to the City. All that one sees now is a carriage full of cross-looking people hidden behind newspapers or novels.

ANOTHER CITY WORKER.

## PRETTY FACES.

**ALTHOUGH** young men fall in love with pretty faces, many are disillusioned in the long run. Looks are not all that can be desired in woman. Her ways and general outlook on life must be sweet as well as her face.

Most pretty girls nowadays, although possessed of brains do not find it necessary to use them. They rely solely upon their looks.

A DISILLUSIONED YOUNG MAN.

her excited talk that she believed in their existence until this remark startled me, "But, of course, there are no fairies."

A short while afterwards I spent some time with her twin brother, and a story I concocted on a submarine that could fly left him cold. "There are no flying submarines—yet!" he concluded.

Children are much harder to satisfy now than formerly were. They seem extraordinarily wide awake and always very critical.

UNCLE FIFTY.

## MARRIAGE A HINDRANCE?

**IF** a man makes the right kind of marriage it should help him in any career he undertakes.

If he makes the wrong kind, he must not blame marriage as an institution, but simply his own lack of judgment.

MARRIAGE.

## IN MY GARDEN.

**APRIL 9.**—Even in exposed districts the pruning of roses should be completed this week. Chinas and teas, which are attended to last, need only be thinned if required for garden decoration.

Long shoots of last year's growth on strong-growing roses—such as Hugh Dickson and Frau K. Druschki—should be pegged down to the ground. If this is carefully done a fine show of bloom will result. All rose beds must now be stirred. Turn rich decayed material into borders that have not yet received a dressing.

E. F. J.

# MR. CHURCHILL ON THE NAVAL WAR.

A VIVID PICTURE OF THE GREAT STRUGGLE AT SEA.

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**WHEN** we heard that Mr. Winston Churchill was to join the swelling multitude of those who have written, or prompted, accounts of the official part they played in the Great War, we knew that his book would at any rate be readable.

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His summary of the various pre-war crises that forced Britain into her huge naval armaments could hardly be bettered.

His preparatory work, indeed, was perhaps the best service Mr. Churchill performed. It culminated, as we know, with his bold order to mobilise, without consulting the Cabinet, on a memorable Saturday, in August, 1914.

Another Foreign Office box came in. I opened it and read "Germany has declared war on Russia." There was no more to be said. I walked across the House of Commons and entered 10, Downing-street by the garden gate. I found the Prime Minister upstairs in his drawing-room. . . . I said that I intended to mobilise the Fleet, notwithstanding the Cabinet decision, and that I would take full personal responsibility to the Cabinet the next morning.

Later, it came to be said of Mr. Churchill that he was inclined to "take too much upon himself." How does he defend himself from this attack?

Antwerp is the most important instance.

## KITCHENER AND FISHER.

Here Mr. Churchill's ardour does seem to have led him to snatch at responsibilities which the over-tasked Kitchener was too ready to allow him. Should he visit Antwerp? "Lord Kitchener expressed a decided wish that I should go." Lord Kitchener had also "requested" him to draft the telegram which reassured the nation as to the military situation in France at the beginning of September. Why? Was this Mr. Churchill's job?

But we leave these complicated controversies, to quote the unforgettable pictures given here of those two great figures of the early part of the war: Kitchener and Fisher:

At seven o'clock I was sitting up in bed in Admiralty House working at my boxes when the door opened and Lord Kitchener appeared. These were the days before he took to uniform, and my recollection is that he had a bowler hat on his head, which he took off with a hand which also held a slip of paper. He paused in the doorway, and I knew in a flash and before he spoke that the event had gone wrong. Though his manner was quite calm, his face was different. I had the subconscious feeling that it was distorted and discoloured as if it had been under a gas mask. His eyes rolled more than ever. His voice, too, was hoarse. He looked gigantic. "Bad news," he said heavily and laid the slip of paper on my bed. I read the telegram. It was from Sir John French. . . . And Fisher:—

From the very beginning his letters were couched in an affectionate and paternal style. "My beloved Winston," they began, ending usually with a variation of "Yours to a cinder." "Yours till hell freezes," or "Till charcoal sprouts" followed by a P.S. and two or three more pages of pregnant and brilliant matter. Alas, there was a day when hell froze and charcoal sprouted and friendship was reduced to cipher; when "My beloved Winston" had given place to "First Lord: I can no longer be your colleague."

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Mr. Basil Rathbone, to be leading in a new play "R.U.R." at the R.M. Theatre.



Miss Daphne Pollard, who joined "The Rainbow" at the Empire Theatre last night.

## THIRTEEN WEDDINGS.

A Society Actress—Epstein's Forest Studio—Conrad and Cooking.

THIRTEEN is the official number of "titled" weddings for to-day. There are two in London and the rest in the country. Many well-known people will be on the train this morning for Chichester, where, in the cathedral, the Duke of Richmond's granddaughter, Lady Doris Gordon-Lennox, will be married to Mr. Clare Vyner. This popular bride at one time went in for journalism, writing regularly for a well-known weekly, and occasionally for a daily paper.

### St. Paul's and St. George's.

The marriage of the Earl of Eltham and Miss Dorothy Hastings is the most important of the other country weddings. The London weddings are those of the young baronet, Sir Edward Naylor-Leyland, to Mlle. de Belabre at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, and Commander Humphry Legge, the Earl of Dartmouth's younger son, to Miss Roma Horlick, daughter of Sir Ernest Horlick, of malted milk fame, at St. George's, Hanover-square.

### Society Stage Recruit.

I hear that Lady Mercy Graville, younger daughter of the Earl of Warwick, who has obtained a stage engagement, will have a pied-à-terre in the Cromwell-road district. She has been staying for some time with Lord and Lady Rosslyn, but was at Easton for the Labour Party house-warming.

### Viscountess Curzon.

Viscountess Curzon is paying one of her frequent but short visits to London, and, according to her recent practice, is staying at an hotel. She has, nevertheless, a charming house in Curzon-street, which was given to her by her father-in-law, Earl Howe, on her marriage to Viscount Curzon, and is on Lord Howe's valuable London estate. Lady Curzon spends a good deal of time abroad and in the country, as her health has not been good.

### Peer Hotel Director.

Lord Lurgan, who is visiting his aged mother at Brighton, is one of the most delightful of the Irishmen who make London their home. He is a well-known figure about town, good-looking, tall and well set up, with crisp curly white hair. He is one of the directors of the group of hotels which include the Ritz and the Carlton, and often gives interesting little dinners at one or the other. He married one of the late Lord Cadogan's daughters, and was left a widower nearly fifteen years ago.

### Lenin's Dossier.

One of the objects which Lenin contemplates while he lies on his sick bed in the Kremlin is his own dossier compiled by the old Tsarist police. The personal description is said to be particularly gratifying to him. It runs thus: "Though a dangerous man, he is quite good-looking."

### Atlantic Flight Hero.

Commander Kenneth Mackenzie Grieve, who is engaged to be married to Miss Janet Baddeley, will be remembered as Hawker's navigator in the great Atlantic flight. During the war he served in an armed trawler on the East Coast, and in 1913 he was awarded the Royal Humane Society's medal for saving life.



Comdr. K. Mackenzie Grieve.

### Hampshire Homes.

Miss Janet Baddeley, his future bride, comes from the same county as Commander Grieve. Her home at Dibden, Hampshire, is not very far from his at Droxford, a delightful English vil-

lage, which gave him such a hearty welcome when he returned home after the perilous Atlantic flight.

# TO-DAY'S GOSSIP

News and Views About Men, Women and Affairs in General

### Friend of the Entente.

M. Loucheur, whose visit, as I suggested at the outset, had considerable political significance, is a very good friend of the Entente. His views are pretty accurately reflected on this side of the Channel by the Anglo-French Society; and the pillars of that society are M. Henri Davray, the London correspondent of the *Petit Journal*, and Lord Burnham.

### America Comes Shopping.

A New York society beauty who is visiting London tells me that she found clothes here too expensive to buy. Another said she had bought kid gloves for half the price of New York ones! The general demand of American women visitors to London shops has been for sports wear. "We can't get sports clothes like yours in our country," a well-known American woman told me.

### America's Taste in Music.

Miss Ethel Leginska, the pianist, who has just come back from America, is, despite her foreign-sounding name, a Yorkshirewoman. She has gained some fame as a composer. She tells me that she is going to Germany as a conductor, and afterwards will appear in the same capacity at the Philharmonic Hall, New York. Audiences in New York like sensational music, but in Boston, she says: "I can play Bach to them and they go mad about it."

### Marquis' Pretty Daughter.

Lord and Lady Headfort are going on a motor trip when they leave Biarritz. Lady Headfort has not been very well lately, and has been unable to play much golf. Lady Millicent Taylor is with her parents. She is tall, very fair, and promises to be one of the best-looking debutantes when she is presented.



Lady Headfort.

### Boar Hunting.

The Duke and Duchess of Westminster have been abroad for some time, giving their patronage to the Riviera, as well as to Biarritz, and they have had several house parties at Mimizan to hunt the boar. Both the Duke and Duchess are enthusiastic over the sport, and they have a fine pack of hounds.

### Lucky at the Tables.

Sir Archibald and Lady Weigall have thoroughly enjoyed their stay at Biarritz, where they did much entertaining both in their own villa and at the Hotel du Palais. They were regular visitors to the Casino and amongst the few on whom fortune smiled.

### Golf at Biarritz.

Lady Esme Gordon-Lennox and Miss K. Norton are amongst the latest arrivals at Biarritz. Lady Esme is a very keen golfer, though she is not such a long driver as her sister, Mrs. Ferdinand Stanley. Mr. and Mrs. Rochfort Maguire and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burns have also been to Biarritz, but the latter have returned to England for their son's holidays.

### Schoolboy House Parties.

The schoolboys' Easter holidays are keeping a good many people out of London, for parents feel that when possible boys should spend their holidays in the country. There are at present numerous house parties for these young people.

### Spiritualism and Credulity.

The appearance of Mrs. Alfred Lyttleton, under the auspices of the Psychical Research Society, as Mrs. King, the medium, reminds me that not all the members of that society have been satisfied with the evidence in favour of spiritualism. One of the most eminent of them, the late Henry Sidgwick, declared, towards the end of his life, that his experiences at seances had taught him a great deal about human credulity, but very little about anything else.

### Tax on Betting?

A tax on betting transactions is once more being talked of, and I cannot understand the objection which some Puritanical persons are raising to the proposal. Anti-tobaccoists do not object to the taxation of tobacco; nor have I ever heard a teetotaler cry out against the taxation of beer and spirits.

### British Sovereigns and Rome.

There are not many precedents for the visit of a British sovereign to Rome. King Edward VII. went there in 1903; but to find another King of England doing so we have to go back to Canute, who was there when Pope John XIX. crowned the Emperor Conrad II. and his Consort in Saint Peter's.

### Conrad as Connoisseur.

Few people have regarded Mr. Joseph Conrad as an expert on cookery. He has, however, supplied an introduction to a "Handbook of Cookery" by Mrs. Conrad, which has just been published. "Of all the books produced since the most remote ages by human talents and industry, those only that treat of cooking are, from a moral point of view, above suspicion," is one of his epigrams.

### London Scottish Preacher.

The Rev. Dr. Archibald Fleming, the popular London Scottish preacher, is at present considering a call to Glasgow Cathedral. This is not the first call that has come to him from the cathedral congregation, and I shall be surprised if Dr. Fleming does not again elect to remain in London. For twenty-one years Dr. Fleming has been minister of St. Columba's, Pont-street. His congregation is an influential and growing one, and he finds the work in London most congenial.

### Woodland Sculpture.

Appropriately selecting a studio in a situation in harmony with his subject, Mr. Epstein, I hear, is going to a secluded spot on the borders of Epping Forest to model his figure of Rima, the elusive heroine of "Green Mansions." Mr. W. H. Hudson's romantic novel of the wilds. A suitable site for the figure, when complete, has been found in one of the London parks.

### Post Impertinence.

Of pillar-box lore I am reminded of the early days of the trodden post, when to post letters was to flout etiquette. Personal misadventures called for personal delivery.



Lady Mary Crickton, wife of Colonel the Hon. George Crickton, Comptroller of Ceremonies for the royal wedding.



Mr. Ambrose McEvoy, the portrait painter, whose water colours will be shown at the Leicester Galleries on Friday.

### Earl's Treasures.

The Earl of Normanton, who was fifty-eight yesterday, married in 1894 a daughter of Lord Strafford. He had to wait a long while for an heir, for he was blessed with seven daughters before the arrival of a son, Viscount Somerton, in 1910, who had the distinction of being King Edward's last godson. The Normantons have a beautiful place, Somerley, near the New Forest, which contains numerous art masterpieces of fabulous value, including Sir Joshua Reynolds' celebrated "Seven Cardinal Virtues."


### His Debut.

Sir Victor Warrender's elder son, John, made his first public appearance yesterday as one of the pages in attendance on Miss Flavia Forbes, and the bride's youngest step-brother kept him company, the two little men totalling but five years between them! It is a pretty safe prophecy to say that Master John will frequently be acting in this capacity in the future, for his mother is one of the most popular of the younger married women.

### Cats' Meat Tragedy.

Yesterday near this office, a cat's meat man had left his barrow outside a shop. He was away for some time, and the cats of the neighbourhood began to gather round. So did a perky fox-terrier! The dog wasted no time in preliminary sniffing, but got busy with the cat's meat and, with a succession of growls, kept the cats at bay while he gorged himself. When the owner of the barrow returned there were many yelps, but considerably less cat's meat. THE RAMBLER.

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# HOPE OF SETTLEMENT OF FARM STRIKE

# "PHYSICAL JERKS



Mass meeting of Norfolk farm strikers in Norwich market place. A Salvation Army band accompanied it.



Miss Elsie Prince and Mr. Billie Merson in a scene of "Brighter London."



Mr. Johnson, secretary of Norwich Labour Party, speaking. Inset, Mr. Henry Overman, the Norfolk farmers' chairman. Negotiations between employers and strikers opened yesterday.



"BRIGHTER LONDON."—Miss Vera Bryer and Mr. Lupino Lane in the park scene of "Brighter London," the successful spectacular revue which is now running at the London Hippodrome.



STAGE WEDDING.—Mr. Stanley Brightman, part author of "Battling Butler," and Miss Beryl Harrison, Miss Phyllis Monkman's sister, to be married to-day.



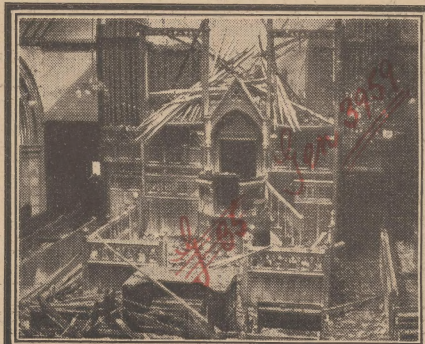
Lewis Jacobs, a Jewish apprentice at Newmarket, who is expected to ride his first race at the Pontefract meeting to-morrow.



A nurse exercising the leg of a baby.



Another baby about to take an electric bath. It has been found at the Hospital for Children in Glasgow that nurses are beneficial in the development of the baby.



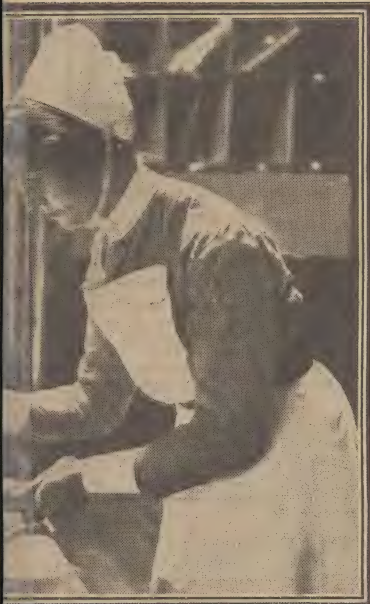
CHURCH BURNED.—Interior of Lenzie United Free Church, near Glasgow, after a fire which burned the roof and organ and caused £10,000 damage.



Rev. J. Stagg, opened by the village of Scarborough.



# GOOD FOR BABIES



the boy, too young to walk.



Arm exercises that help to develop the chest.  
street that physical exercises properly given by  
children. (Daily Mirror photographs.)



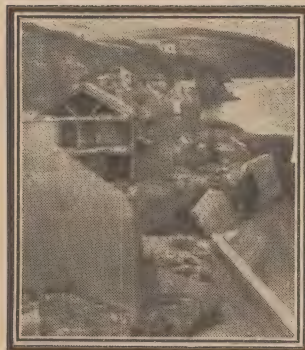
dedicating hall  
to (next him).



A soldier of the village sounds "The Last Post."

ALL.—A hall to commemorate ninety-six men of the village of Seamer, near  
ght in the Great War and twenty who gave their lives, has been opened.

# SEA WRECKAGE



Smashed sea-wall and ruins of cottages  
washed away at Hallsands, Devon.



Mr. Edwin Perry, chairman of Devon Sea  
Fishes Committee, laying a stone to  
commemorate the building of ten cot-  
tages to replace those washed away in  
January, 1917.



Dr. E. J. Allen, of the  
Marine Biological Labo-  
ratory, Plymouth, has  
been awarded the Han-  
sen Gold Medal, a  
Danish honour.



WORLD'S BIGGEST MAN.—John Aasen, re-  
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with Harold Lloyd, the cinema star.

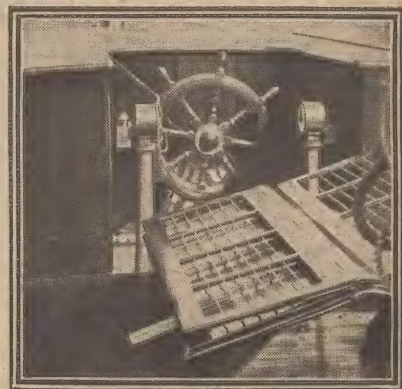
# BARGE TO GO "ROUND EUROPE"



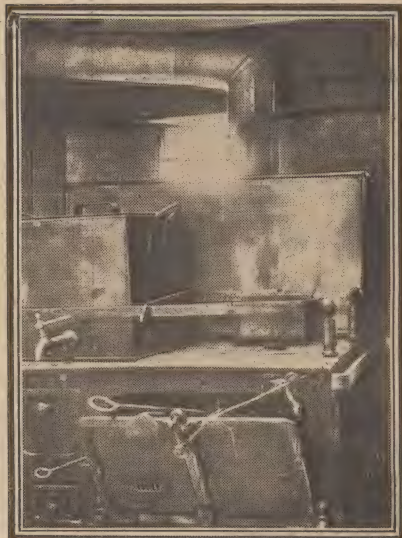
La Toquade in the river near Rye. Inset, her owner, Lord Colville.



TO-DAY'S SCOTTISH BRIDE.  
A new and attractive portrait  
of Miss Forbes of Callendar, who  
is to be married to-day to Cap-  
tain Alistair Richardson at Christ  
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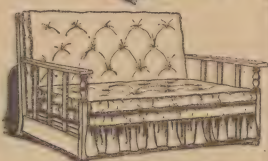
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"Supposing he was not worth saving, Peggy Beckett?" asked Adam Quilter slowly. "What if he were the kind of young idler and waster the world and you would be better without?" Peggy's eyes flashed. "You can go!" she said coldly.

## NEW READERS BEGIN HERE.

PEGGY BECKETT is an "alone-in-London" girl, a fascinating, impulsive character, who is known as Peggy the Firebrand in Quilter's Emporium, where she is employed. She is going to marry Archie Dugdale in a few days—a young man who lives in the same private hotel in South Kensington, an establishment known as Toser's Royal Empress. Archie and Peggy are taking a walk in Hyde Park early one spring morning when a dog attacks them and a shabby stranger acts as rescuer. Archie does not shine in a very heroic light during the attack and takes himself off. Peggy indulges in some verbal give-and-take with the stranger, and then, feeling that he is in need, gives him a ten-shilling note and runs away.

That morning Peggy is a ringleader in a lightning strike at Quilter's. During an interview with old Adam Quilter, the proprietor, Peggy gathers the impression that he once knew her dead mother, but she regards the idea as absurd. The strike fails and Peggy is dismissed.

Peggy returns disconsolately to Toser's Royal Empress, and in the drawing-room she finds Archie Dugdale and the shabby stranger in conversation. Peggy learns that Archie is a jackal who preys on credulous girls, and dismisses her unworthy lover with contempt. She parts from the stranger, maintaining that she has lost faith in all mankind.

The stranger, Jack Sandford by name, renders a service to Adam Quilter, who, deceived by his out-of-work appearance, offers him a peculiar appointment. He is to find a missing girl in London whose photograph is shown to him. It is a speaking likeness of Peggy Beckett, although the photograph is twenty years old.

Sandford finds Peggy and falls in love with her. He provides Quilter with fictitious stories about her whereabouts and welfare.

Meanwhile Peggy runs across a divorced woman, Nan Beverley, who has once known Jack Sandford, but Peggy is unaware of this. She endeavours to bring about a reconciliation between husband and wife, but fails. An exciting incident when Sandford saves Peggy from danger leads to her confessing her love for him.

She does not know that he is a rich man who has adopted the guise of poverty in the search for Real Life.

## A WOMAN'S WAY.

"DULL back those confounded curtains, Quitch!" Adam Quilter utters his hands softly together. "There's not enough sunlight in this house. Remarkable thing that I've only just discovered it."

The dusty beams of the June sun smote the political figure of Quitch, the butler, and the tansore of fluffy hair upon his almost bald head. Quitch obeyed the behest with a placid smile to the street outside and an inscrutable back to Adam Quilter.

And, Quitch! Quitch turned a face which in its woodiness and rosy hue resembled a painted Noah's Ark soldier.

"Do you know anything about women, Quitch?"

Quitch's mouth twitched. It was the only sign that the question, coming from Adam Quilter, had struck him almost paralytic.

"I was married, sir—long ago. And I've watched life—through the window, so to speak. And life is three-quarters women, sir, if I may put it that way."

Adam Quilter screwed his bushy eyebrows. Round about his clean-shaven, sardonic mouth little lines rippled and went away again.

"Do you think that a woman—a young woman—who has put up a good fight against the world, been nearly to the edge of starvation, and suddenly found herself in a position of luxury, would be spoiled?"

Quitch considered. He spoke cautiously.

"There's women and women, if you understand me, sir. Take my niece, sir, if I may express myself so freely. She worked in an East End paper-mill, and a fine, independent girl she was. Laid two cosh' tiggers out at Hampstead Heath on a holiday—for fun."

"But she marries a well-off bookie, keeps two maids in a villa at Golders Green and runs to seed. She's buried in the cemetery up there, sir. Women are like a dog, better for a bit of devil. Take that little girl who kicked up the ructions at the store a month ago, begging your pardon, sir—"

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"Well!" snarled Adam Quilter. "Take her! What then?" Quitch coughed back some thing like a chuckle.

"She'd do well as a society woman, sir," he said, with aunction. "She'd have her photographs in all the papers—again, I mean."

Adam Quilter smiled grimly. His deep, old eyes lit. He spoke softly, almost to himself.

She's near to the starvation line at this minute, Quitch," he said. "She's nearly all out—and still laughing. At least, she was laughing yesterday. I'm not sure about to-day. No, I'm not sure about that."

He stared musingly out of the window. Quitch stood stiffly, like an oracle ready to speak more wisdom on command. But Adam Quilter had risen from his chair. His lunch hour was over. But, for the first time, movement, at the stroke of the big Mogul clock, to return to the Emporium. Instead, with an immobile look at his butler, he turned.

"I want the car in a quarter of an hour," he said. "The big Hispano. If there's a speck on any of the silver-work I shall discharge the chauffeur. Get my morning clothes out, the gold-mounted stick and all the jewelry. I want a man with money on his when he wants to make a big noise. See?"

He moved out of the room. Quitch stood spell-bound for one second. Then he, too, moved to obey his unbelievable instructions.

## ADAM'S JOKE.

THE big car, with the glint of green and metal, slid out of Marblebone road into the dingy side street. The workday crowd paused to let it pass and gazed after the wizened yet plutocratic figure which it contained.

It came to rest before the unclean windows of Gustave Lupin, Artist in Wax. Monsieur Lupin himself, in apron and spectacles, with the crumbs of lunch upon his beard, came running to the door to greet the distinguished customer. He stepped back in confusion at the snapped question.

"Miss Beckett?" Madame Lupin came forth at the name. There was perplexity and struggling recognition in Madame's eyes. She had seen Monsieur before, but recently. Could it be Mam'selle's uncle from Watford? Ah, no, that was impossible, for he had been poor and had stolen money.

Adam Quilter knocked at the door of Peggy's room. He opened it and stepped inside, closing the door behind him.

"Good afternoon, Miss Firebrand!" he said. Peggy was slumped by the table, with her hand on the threadbare cloth, upon which lay an opened letter. She made no sign at Quilter's entrance, save to lift her head.

"What do you want?" she asked, a little listless.

Adam Quilter laid his gold-mounted walking-stick upon the table. Peggy watched him with heavy eyes, as though she did not see him except as an actor in some play which did not interest her.

When he spoke again the dryness had gone out of his voice. It held the same baffling tenderness which had been in it when he had spoken to her in the lift on the day of the lightning strike at Quilter's.

"Sit down, little girl," he said. "You've had some kind of a blow, and blows hurt—when one is young. I'm a strange old man, but I dismissed you when you led the strike in my shop, and now I've come to give you help. It's in every-day form. It's money."

A tremor passed across Peggy. She seemed to come awake out of a stupor of a stupor. "Money?" she repeated, in a strange, husky voice. "I don't want it. I've got plenty of it. Look here!"

She took the opened envelope from the table and shook it. Forth from it tumbled a bundle of notes.

"A hundred pounds," she said, her voice shaking. "That's what the letter says. I haven't counted them."

She sprang to her feet with a suddenness that jarred the table. In her colourless face, her eyes, blue as gentians, had a startling brightness and ferocity.

She pressed her hands together with a gesture of pain which, because it was simple and primitive, and because she was so slim and young, had the effect of tragedy.

"I must be mad!" she said in a low voice. "To waste time like this! That letter came by the early afternoon post, fully a quarter of an hour ago. And I've done nothing but sit and stare at it."

"Oh, can't you help me, Adam Quilter? You're rich and old, and wise—I suppose. For some reason you either hate or love me, I don't know which. But if you want to play some trick on me—to make me feel happy so that I shall be all the more miserable afterwards—help me!"

She stopped. There was no sound but her

quick breathing and the soft tap of Monsieur Lupin's little hammer below.

"Let me read the letter," Adam Quilter said, very gently and compassionately. She gave it to him.

"Little Cinderella. You must not come to meet me to-morrow. I shall not be there. Yes, today was all madness. I beg your pardon for it. Some day, knowing what you are, I think you will forgive me."

"I shall leave this note at that. I shall keep it small enough for you to throw into the fire and forget me. Believe me, I am not that was all."

"Do you remember that once we spoke of our wills, and I said that if at the end of our month you had not cured me I should leave you all I had? Instead, I am sending you the money. I was not quite so poor as you thought. It is the last will and testament of John Sandford that you should have it. Take it and use it for my sake.—J. S."

Adam Quilter put the letter down. Peggy caught his arm.

"It's quite plain," she said, numbly. "He means to do some harm to himself. Oh, I thought I had made it worth while for him to stay alive. Perhaps he is out among all these millions of people, just about to do it, and I can't find him. You are rich, and perhaps you can. Even if it is part of that joke which you spoke of in the lift that you have come here, maybe finding him for me a part of it, too!"

Peggy ended. She was growing calmer now; watching Adam Quilter with a dry-eyed passion. The old man, on his part, had turned away. There was an expression of mingled sternness and pity on his wrinkled, fierce face that was seldom there. But when he looked at Peggy again, it was gone.

"Supposing he was not worth saving, Peggy Beckett?" he asked, slowly, speaking her name for the first time. "What if he were the kind of young idler and waster the world and you would be better without?" Peggy's eyes flashed. "You can go!" she said coldly. "I don't want you to stay here if that's what you think. I've paid the rent of these rooms and they're mine. I don't care how rich and powerful you are, I must go. I suppose all old men who live like you do, lose their faith in their fellow human beings—"

"Be quiet, girl!" Adam Quilter said, without any harshness.

He leaned over the table. There was something hypnotic in his manner. Peggy felt it through the tumult of her soul.

"If there was money for you, money and fine clothes and wealth and comfort—not a hundred pounds and a new dress—if you were taken out

of all this, just as it happened in the old fairy tales, and given all that you'd ever wished for when you saw a rich and beautiful woman, what would you say? What if that were my joke, little Peggy Beckett?"

Adam Quilter paused. His eyes were glowing softly.

"What if?" said Peggy, unconsciously quoting him. "Go on, Mr. Quilter. What if?"

And then, when you'd forgotten that little working girl who used to live over a waxwork shop, and some rich young man of good family asked you to marry him—unless you'd become too fond of night clubs and the race just now of marrying, for in this new life you would do exactly as you wished—what would your answer be, little Miss Firebrand?"

Peggy Beckett stepped back from Quilter involuntarily. The eager wisdom of his face hurt and frightened her. Suddenly, monstrous as it was in that modern, dingy London, she realised that his words were spoken in deadly earnest.

She leaned her little white face close to the old deep eyes that watched her steadily.

"You ask me for a straight answer?"

"I do."

"You won't like it when it comes," she said. "I have grown accustomed to the wilfulness of young people in my long life; and I don't suppose what you say will astonish me, Peggy Beckett."

Peggy took a long breath and spoke deliberately.

"It's because your brain has become so that you think money is everything that you come here to ask me questions like that," she said. "You think it can buy happiness like I can buy nearly everything else, don't you? But I was happier than you yesterday, though I only had two pounds. I was happier than anybody, I think."

All at once something within Peggy snapped, and, before she knew it, she had caught Adam Quilter's thin hand and was half-kneeling to him. "Oh, don't earth on the joke just now! Wait until I know whether he is safe! You can do anything you like with me, afterwards. But help me to find him now!"

Adam Quilter put out his free hand. As he touched the short yellow curls, those who were familiar with the harsh mask which the master of Quilter's Emporium turned to the world would not have known him.

"Courage," he murmured, softly.

"I had forgotten they still existed."

He caught Peggy's arm.

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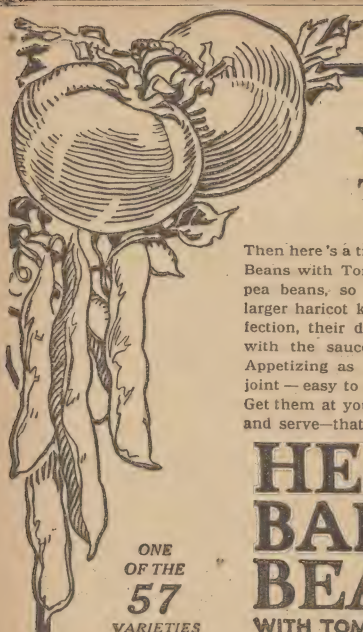
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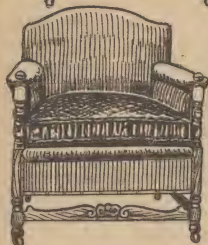
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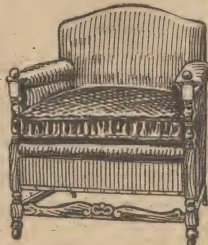
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## THE PSYCHOLOGY OF THE BOB.

I wonder when some psychologist will trace the connection between the way women no longer treasure luxuriant locks and their growth of independence! However, that's another story!

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### CELTIC MIST WINS.

#### England Chooses Strong Team Against Scotland.

Without aspiring to anything of outstanding interest, Warwick provided entertaining racing yesterday. Tee Tan carried the royal livery in the Kineton Plate, but she failed to obtain a place. Prior to the third race there was a sharp snowstorm, but it did not last long. Features of the day were:—

**Racing**—Rossmoyne started a hot favourite for the Blacklow Handicap, but was beaten by Celtic Mist.

**Football**—Playing away from home, Huddersfield beat Sheffield United 2-0. England's team to meet Scotland at Glasgow on Saturday was announced.

## TETRAGON'S TASK.

### Will Whatcombs Filly Concede the Weight to Noir?

By **BOUVIERE.**

Racing did not reach a very high level at Warwick yesterday, and except for two races the card is very thin again to-day.

The exceptions are the Leamington Handicap and the Milverton Handicap, and, with Tetragon, Noir, Sunny Rose, Zoolphokar all fanned, the latter affords promises to be the best betting race of them all.

At first glance Tetragon's chance appears to be a very big one, but Verdict shouldered 12lb.

#### SELECTIONS FOR WARWICK.

2-NOIR. 4.0-IRISH DUTCH. 11

2.30-SURE GAIN. 4.30-SPES. 11

3.50-MILE END. 4.30-SPES. 11

DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

NOIR AND SURE GAIN.

more when she won at Birmingham, and the weights here are framed on a similar scale. Perryman, who rode such a good race on Silver Hue at Alexandra Park, rides Zoolphokar, but the one I prefer at the weights is Noir, who has already shown a partiality for the course and will no doubt have Douglie as his jockey.

Rossmoyne is hardly likely to be pulled out again for the Leamington Handicap, in which Happy Release is expected to make amends for the shortcomings of Mile Fleche yesterday.

Sailor Son, all the better for his race in the Queen's Prize, should run well; Ardavan is another thought to possess a big chance, and Pass the Mint run very well at Lincoln.

It is a very open race and one in which the useful Mile End might "come up" at a good price.

Sure Gain, who has twice run prominently in selling races this season, appears to hold an outstanding chance in the Harbury Plate, and Irish Dull could win the Grove Park Plate. There is just a doubt about the latter running, however, and I think the filly, Rimple, may pull through in her absence. Friar's Daughter does not run.

## COURSE AND TRAINING NEWS

### Points from Tattersall's, the Track and the Paddock.

The Turk II. will not run in the Scottish Grand National at Eglinton on Friday.

Stewards of the National Hunt Committee will deal with the Count Ross appeal to-day.

J. Thwaites will be in the saddle at Pontefract to-morrow and then goes on to Eglinton.

Z.Z. was bought in for 1300s. after winning at Warwick yesterday. Mr. Chandler took Marcoro for 40s.

Pharos, Silver Grass, Portumma and Prior will be among the starters for the Pontefract Plate to-morrow.

Smirkie takes tons of money in the Newbury Cup. The Lincoln failure is completing his preparation at Epsom.

Loch Fyne, who won easily at Catterick Bridge, will be saddled for the Irvine Town Plate at Eglinton on Thursday.

Town Guard, the Derby favourite, has been taken out of the Lingfield Park Spring Stakes. Roman Bachelor is a certain starter.

Snow Crown was struck out of the Derby at 9 a.m. yesterday. At a two-year-old Snow Crown competed in eight races without success.

In the Maiden Stakes, won by Wilf's Neck at Alexandra Park on Saturday, Clypping (100 to 8) was third. Green Collar's number was hoisted in error.



Catfitt, trainer of Wall Shot, a winner at Warwick.

Nilles, who, it is stated, will meet Carpenter on May 10.

## WARWICK FEATURES.

### Rossmoyne Again Second—Close Finishes and a Dead-Heat.

One or two close finishes, with a dead-heat to wind up, lived up to some otherwise tame racing at Warwick yesterday—H a slight snowstorm during the middle of the afternoon being expected.

Newmarket trainers for the most part gave the meeting a miss, with the result that four of the races went to provincials, and Monnaie shared a fifth in finishing level with Gragsman in the Castle Plate.

Rossmoyne, after all, was saddled for the Blacklow Handicap, and although still limping as the result of his mishap on Lord Penrhyn's horse at Kempton, Sturley was fit enough to ride. Naturally, after his good effort against Reeces on Easter Monday, Rossmoyne was a firm favourite, but he again found one too good for him, this time the Irish hurdler, Celtic Mist.

#### WELL SHOT'S VICTORY.

King of Clubs, slightly better backed than Well Shot and By Mistake, showed good speed in the Short's Handicap, but, failing to keep it up long enough, went under by half a length to the Lambourn filly.

Z.Z. and Desolation gelding both justified favouritism in the selling races, but the book-makers thoroughly enjoyed the Kineton Stakes, won "running away" by the outsider Orland.

Hippolyte filly was a good favourite on the strength of her Leicester victory, and Monnaie, who had been a useful runner in Desolation, was all well backed. Orland carried Mr. H. C. Dickson's second colours and in spite of a swerve won in a canter.

Cabbage repeated her Leicester trick of swishing her tail when tackled in the Southern Plate, but she was up against a useful youngster in Desolation gelding, who will win again if kept to plating.

Gragsman was the medium of quite a gamble in the Castle Plate, and it looked like coming off well. Monnaie put in some great work close home to make a dead-heat.

**BOUVIERE.**

## SPURS' GOLF WIN.

### Heavy Defeat for Charlton in London Footballers' Championship.

In the first round of the London footballers' golf championship, Tottenham "A" team gained a very easy victory over Charlton "A" at Highgate.

The Spurs won all four matches, and every one by a wide margin. J. Cantrell beat G. Dodd by 7 and 6. P. McWilliam beat A. McKinnon by 5 and 3. Walters beat J. Edlington by 7 and 5, and J. Ross beat G. Symonds by 7 and 5.

The match was one of the series for the cup presented by Mr. Dencock and medals given by The Daily Mirror.

## CHAMPIONSHIP BILLIARDS.

### Inman Gains on Newman at Both Sessions—Many Century Breaks.

Inman showed considerable improvement in his championship heat against Newman yesterday. He scored 2,130 and 1,332 during the day, aggregating 1,150 to 655 in the afternoon and 980 to 607 at night. The result was that Newman's lead of 2,710 at the opening was reduced to 1,915.

There were fourteen century breaks, Newman making 134, 168, 208, 194, 103, 373 and 325, and Inman 113, 170, 135, 219, 174, 134 and 305. The closing scores were: Newman (in play), 9,333; Inman, 7,415.

#### HORSES FOR COURSES.

The following horses engaged to-day at Warwick won over the course last year:—

2.0—Noir, Laverstoke.  
3.0—The Spell, Poor Tom.  
3.30—Spes.  
4.30—Spes. Bombino.

Replayed Surrey Cup Semi-Final.—At Summerstown yesterday Wimbledon by M.H. Wanders 1-0 in the replayed semi-final of the Surrey Senior Cup. Van Den Borg scored in the last five minutes.

## WEST HAM RISING.

### London Team Only Two Points Behind Leaders.

Eighteen thousand people saw West Ham defeat Hull City yesterday by three goals to nil. Their success carries them to third place in the League table, two points behind Leicester City and Nottingham, with two games in hand over the leaders. The present positions of the contenders for the two places are:—

	Pld.	Won.	Draw.	Lost.	For.	Agst.	Pts.
Leicester City	38	19	9	10	61	41	47
Notts County	38	20	7	11	58	43	47
West Ham United	36	17	9	10	58	33	43
Fulham	38	16	12	10	43	26	44

They have now to meet Barnsley (away), Fulham (twice), Notts County (twice) and Wednesday (away). It is not an easy programme that they have to face, especially as both Fulham and Notts County are themselves strong candidates for promotion, but provided they are not overweighed by Cup anxieties they may manage it.

The home forwards played with great dash at the start of the game and for a time overwhelmed Hull, for whom Mercer kept a grand goal.

Subsequently Hull did much better, and Hutton had to be on his alert to cope with a hard drive from Kitchen. West Ham deserved a lead by the interval, but half time was announced without score. However, after West Ham had been very strongly and at the end of four minutes Brown scored with a hook shot, and followed this soon afterwards with another goal, which he headed through. Hull made a fine rally, and Crawford put across some nice centres which caused the home defence a lot of anxiety, but nothing serious came of it.

West Ham became aggressive again later, and Richards obtained their third goal.

## BLADES BEATEN.

### Huddersfield Successful After a Poor Opening at Bramall Lane.

Huddersfield gained a rather surprising victory over Sheffield United at Bramall-lane yesterday. They won by two clear goals.

Snow was falling when the game started, but this soon cleared, and throughout the first half Sheffield almost monopolised the attack, and only the brilliant goalkeeping of Taylor prevented the United from running up the necessary lead. From Samper in particular Taylor saved well, though he also dealt with awkward shots from Menlove and Gillespie.

Although they played very disappointingly in the first half, Huddersfield showed entirely different form after ends had been changed.

After Taylor had cleared a couple of dangerous Sheffield rushes Huddersfield rallied, and twice within three minutes Brown beat Gough with great shots.

Sheffield retaliated strongly, and a long dribble by Tunstall ended with the clever outside left sending in a good shot that struck the foot of the post.

## SOUTHEAST BEAT PLYMOUTH.

### Penalty Kick Decides the Issue in Favour of the Seaside.

Southeast won a keen game with Plymouth Argyle at the Kersall last evening by the odd goal in three. The two Third Division points thus obtained practically ensures their position in the competition without the necessity of further success.

Quite early in the game Hall misjudged a shot from Fuller and Southeast were a goal in arrears at the interval, though they had played well enough to have been on terms. Goodwin equalised from a corner well placed by Davis. From that point onwards the game became more strenuous than ever, but it was a penalty goal that decided the issue, the spot kick being accurately placed by Evans.

## J. M. BELL'S SURPRISE WIN.

### A. A. Fyze Beaten in London Covered Courts Lawn Tennis.

J. M. Bell, who won the Surrey hard courts lawn tennis championship two years ago, created a surprise at the London covered courts meeting at Queen's Club yesterday by beating the well-known Indian player, A. A. Fyze, in three sets, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. The loss was evidently suffering somewhat from the cold. Dr. A. H. Fyze beat Lieutenant-Colonel Berger 6-3, 6-3, 6-3. J. G. P. Whiteley beat H. Summers—3, 6-3, 6-3. N. Mishu beat J. Legg 6-2, 6-2, 4-6, 4-6, 6-3.

In the women's singles Mrs. Clayton and Mrs. Edington reached the semi-finals, the former by defeating Mrs. Cobb and the latter by victory over the Hon. Mrs. Colston.

## ENGLAND'S CHOSEN.

### Tresadern and Watson to Play Against Scotland.

## TUNSTALL ON THE WING.

The English team to meet Scotland on Saturday was chosen yesterday as follows:—

Taylor (Huddersfield); Longworth (Liverpool) and Wadsworth (Huddersfield); Keen (Wednesday); Wilson (Wednesday), Tresadern (West Ham); Chedgoy (Everton), Kelly (Burnley), Watson (West Ham), Chambers (Liverpool) and Tunstall (Sheffield United).

Barton, the Birmingham left half back, and Walker (Aston Villa) are the reserves to travel with the team.

Taylor has been nursing an injured foot, and did not play for his club on Saturday. The selectors would certainly have inquired as to his fitness before choosing him, and his play at Sheffield yesterday shows that he has fully recovered.

#### WEST HAM WEAKENED.

There are no surprises in the rest of the team, though on his first at Tottenham on Saturday evening well must surely have challenged comparison with Longworth. Keen and George Wilson, both of the Wednesday, whose names are in the places, and the choice of John Tresadern, of West Ham, as left half will afford satisfaction in the South, though with the Hampers fighting hard for promotion, as well as having Cup ambitions, a club would perhaps have preferred to have the call on the services as well as those of Watson, chosen to lead the English attack.

Chedgoy has well earned his further distinction, where there is little room for surprise at the preference of Kelly to Sead in view of the Tottenham man's temporary loss of form.

Tunstall has fairly played himself into the side. Swift as an arrow in action, he has admirable ball control, and centres with remarkable precision. He can be as elusive as a will-o'-the-wisp, and Hutton, the Abercrombie, will find him a difficult customer to deal with.

Scotland have chosen a formidable combination, which, including the reserve, is a very strong one. Five last season, though some of their representatives seem to be something on the slow side. Still, the abundance of assets and experience, and these are very desirable assets.

**G. P. S.**

## LEAGUE'S STAR MARKSMEN.

### Buchan and Preston's Roberts Lead in the First Division.

The leading goal-scorers in the English League to date are as follows:—

Division I.—Buchan (Sunderland), Roberts (Preston North End), 24 each; J. Broad (Stoke), Barnes (Manchester City) and Elliott (Middlesbrough), 21 each; Paterson (Sunderland), Chambers (Liverpool), 20 each; Walker (Aston Villa), 19; Turnbull (Arsenal), Forshaw (Liverpool), J. Smith (Bolton) and Davies (West Bromwich), 15 each.

Division II.—Bedford (Blackpool), 26; Watson (West Ham), 21; Bullock (Bury), 20; J. Duncan (Leicester City), 18 (Burnley), 17 each.

Division III.—Pagnan (Watford), 29; Smith (Swansea Town), 23; Goodwin (Southend United) and Fairclough (Luton), 21 each; H. H. H. (Luton), 11; Carmichael (Grimsby Town) and Beel (Chesterfield), 20 each.

## OTHER SPORT IN BRIEF.

### News Items and Gossip About Men and Matters of the Moment.

Jenkins to Retire.—Albert Jenkins, the Welsh international player, has been medically advised to give up the game.

Dundee's Victory.—Dundee, at home, beat Falkirk in a Scottish League match yesterday 3-0. Halliday (2) and Bell were the scorers.

Fight for Carpenter.—It was stated yesterday that Georges Carpentier and Marcel Nilles will meet on May 10 at the Stade Bullier.

London Caledonians and West Norwood played a drawn game in the Islington League at Tullnell Park last evening, each side scoring once.

Inter-Term Boxing.—The Royal Military Academy will be opposed by the I.A.C. in a boxing tournament at Woolwich tomorrow at 8.30 p.m.

Ernie Rice's Quick Win.—Ernie Rice beat Willie Devanney at the N.S.C. last night, the referee stopping the contest in the fourth round, owing to a knock-out.

Varsity Sports Athlete.—At the Nautical College (Pangbourne) sports yesterday V. H. Cooke won the long jump, the 100 yards and the 220 yards hurdles, and the 440 yards race.

Boxing at the Ring.—In a twenty-rounds contest last night Van Dyk, the bantam champion of Holland, beat Johnny Chislett (Wales), the latter retiring in the seventh round.

Women's Golf Championship.—At Humbercombe yesterday Buckinghamshire beat Oxford in the women's county championship by six matches to one, and Gloucestershire beat Northants at Leicester by six matches to one.

Yesterday's Football.—Millwall 2, Arsenal 0 (London Combination). Worksop Town 2, Barnsley 1 (Midland League). Leicester 15 pts., Nuneaton 3 pts. (Rugby). Huddersfield 45 pts., Dewsbury 3 pts., St. Helen's Recreation 17 pts., Oldham 2 pts. (Rugby League).

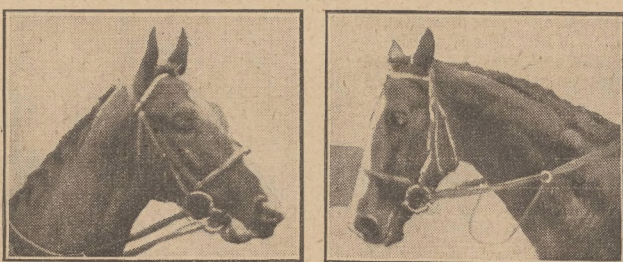
To Meet the Spurs.—For to-morrow's match with the Spurs, Bolton at home will be represented by Pym, Jowett, Finney, Rowlett, Newby, Rowlett, N. Jones, Jack, Smith (C), Wright and Simmon. Jennings is but recently returned from a tour in the States.

Goal Handicaps.—Included in a further list of national goal handicaps issued from St. Andrews yesterday are: W. L. Hope, the Turberville player, and Captain E. C. Mann, the Irish native amateur champion, who are rated at handicap two, and the Hon. F. Stanley Jackson, M.P., who is given a handicap three.

Miss Wethered in Form.—In an inter-club women's golf match Worpleston beat Addington on singles and foursomes at Addington yesterday. Miss Wethered, N. to lead, the British champion, Miss Wethered, playing for Worpleston, defeated Lady Cruise by six up and four to play in the singles, and in the foursomes Miss Wethered and Miss Phyllis Read beat Lady Cruise and Mrs. Brindley by eight and six.

## "SUNDAY PICTORIAL" NAP.

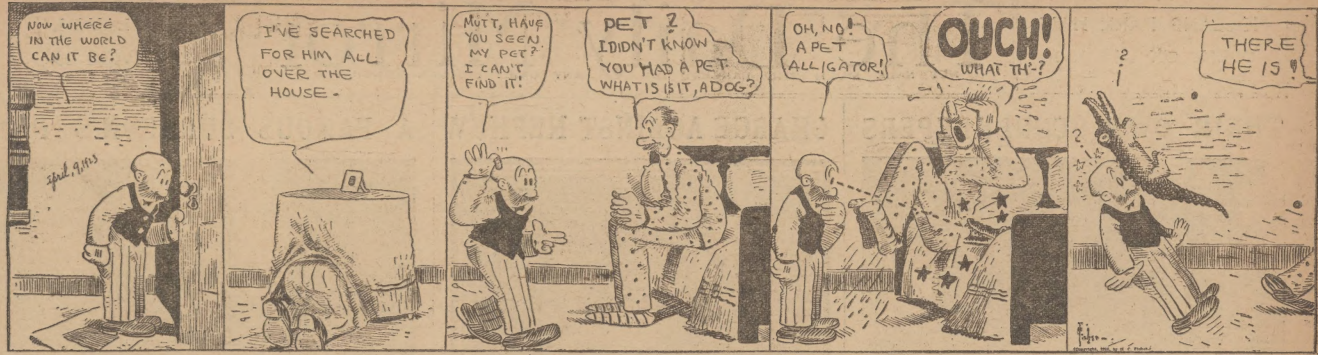
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BIG RACE FAVOURITES.—Town Guard (left), the Derby favourite, and Re-Echo, who is expected to win the City and Suburban.



# MUTT AND JEFF AND THE NEW PET: BY BUD FISHER



JEFF'S TASTE IN ANIMALS IS HARDLY APPROVED OF BY MUTT!

## FIFTH WEEK'S BEAUTY VOTING BEGINS TO-DAY.

Simple Judging Plan That Suits Everybody.

### \$2,500 CONTEST SUCCESS.

The publication yesterday of the result of the first week's voting in *The Daily Mirror* \$2,500 Beauty Competition has made clear to everyone the simple and absolutely fair lines upon which the big beauty prizes are to be awarded. Every week one entrant for each of the three sections will be selected by the majority vote of our readers, and after ten weeks the thirty entrants so-selected will once more be submitted to the judgment of readers, who will make their final choice of three.

A prize of £500 will be offered in the final pool for the best forecast of the popular vote.

To-day the fifth week's voting begins with the publication of twelve senior entrants. A selection of two, in their order of merit, should be indicated in the first section of the coupon printed below. Twelve further photographs will be published during the week.

Those who intend to enter photographs in the competition should post them without delay to: "The Editor, *Daily Mirror* Beauty Competition, 23-29, Boulevard-street, E.C.4."

On the back of each photograph must be written in ink the name, age, and address of the competitor.

## \$2,500 BEAUTY COMPETITION VOTING COUPON.

(Valid only for use in connection with photographs published during the week ending Saturday, April 14.)

To the Manager, Beauty Competition Dept., *The Daily Mirror*, 47, Lombard-lane, E.C.4.

My selection of the six most beautiful entrants in order of merit is as follows:-

Sec. I. (A-M)	Sec. II. (N-S)	Sec. III. (T-Y)
1st	2nd	1st
2nd	3rd	2nd
3rd	4th	3rd
4th	5th	4th
5th	6th	5th

Indicate the photograph you select by letter only, printed in block letters. Six photographs must be selected.

I enter this competition upon and subject to the conditions published in *The Daily Mirror*, and agree to abide by such conditions and to accept the decision of the Editor upon all matters and questions which may arise in connection with this competition as final and conclusive and absolutely and legally binding upon me.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

This coupon will not be accepted if received later than the first post of Wednesday, April 18, 1923.

### IMPORTANT.

This coupon must not be sent in until all of the week's twenty-four photographs have appeared. Section I. of the coupon may be completed to-day by selecting two from the twelve photographs of competitors published.

## THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

By Our City Editor.

The stock markets continued good in tone to-day, with several new features. French securities were all favored on further recovery in the franc to 99.25. French 4's rose to 241. The 5's to 301, both 1/2 up.

4 Darleins continued strong in industrial 97s, 61. Babcock 77s 3d, and Galt 80s 4s, also good. John Walter and Sons were dear in first time 76s 9d, 20. Premiums, debentures 1 prom. Applicants for £1,000 preferred 9.6d. Six Shes to 10.4d. Daily Mirror 5 1/4d.

## BRAWNY BABIES.

New Training That Sounds Easier Than It Is.

### EXHAUSTED INSTRUCTOR.

Modern infant welfare experts, with a view to rearing a super-race for the new generation, have begun a novel form of intensive training for babies.

Soon after they are born the arms and legs of infants are exercised, and rapid development of brawn and bone follows.

Although the babies do not drill by numbers, as is done in the Army, the main principles of the military "physical jerks" are observed.

The idea of physical jerks for infants is an entirely new one, and yesterday Little Joe, aged six months, went through his exercises at the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond-street, at the request of *The Daily Mirror*.

Little Joe, who was a raw recruit at baby drill, earned a severe teprimand at the outset of his training by appearing impropely dressed for parade.

His training was hastily augmented by the Acting Sergeant-Major (who was also Acting Resident Medical Superintendent), and Little Joe received his first lesson in "knee bend" and "knees stretch on the chest of his instructor."

The principles of military discipline, however, were apparently unknown to Little Joe, for he replied to this treatment by kicking the superintendent in the face and putting out his tongue at other superior officers present.

After being severely reprimanded again, he was laid on his back and put through a form of exercises known as "arms upwards and sideways stretch."

This gave him an opportunity of hitting the superintendent on the nose.

But, although handicapped, he managed to kick the superintendent with one of his chubby pink heels, and after trying him with several other exercises the bruised and exhausted instructor gladly placed him in the arms of a nurse.

Parents, *The Daily Mirror* was informed, are now advised to exercise their babies in this manner, but if all infants can kick like Little Joe, father and mother will first have to undergo a course of physical training themselves.

## BROADCASTING TO-DAY.

NEWCASTLE (400 metres).—11.30-12.30, morning transmission; 1.15-2.15, children's stories; 2.15-3.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 3.15-4.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 4.15-5.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 5.15-6.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 6.15-7.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 7.15-8.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 8.15-9.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 9.15-10.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 10.15-11.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 11.15-12.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra.

MANCHESTER (385 metres).—11.30-12.30, morning transmission; 1.15-2.15, children's stories; 2.15-3.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 3.15-4.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 4.15-5.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 5.15-6.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 6.15-7.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 7.15-8.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 8.15-9.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 9.15-10.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 10.15-11.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 11.15-12.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra.

BIRMINGHAM (420 metres).—11.30-12.30, morning transmission; 1.15-2.15, children's stories; 2.15-3.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 3.15-4.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 4.15-5.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 5.15-6.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 6.15-7.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 7.15-8.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 8.15-9.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 9.15-10.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 10.15-11.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra; 11.15-12.15, C. N. Radio Orchestra.

## TO-DAY'S RACING CARD.

Programme for Second Stage of Warwick Meeting.

2.0-MILVERTON 3-Y-O H'CAP, 200 yards, 1m.	
Montcalm	1
Yacomet	2
Zephosian	3
Not	4
Enigma	5
Drum	6
Abate arrived.	
Trotter	7
Black Mask	8
Yacomet	9
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4.0-GROVE PARK T-Y-O PLATE, 200 yards, 1m.	
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# The Daily Mirror

NET SALE MUCH THE LARGEST OF ANY DAILY PICTURE NEWSPAPER.

## THEIR OWN SCOREKEEPERS



A new boxing toy on show at the Drapery Exhibition in London. Blows that land fairly are registered by pegs projecting at the back of the figures, which collapse at a "knock-out."—(Daily Mirror photograph.)



APRIL SNOW.—A street scene in Croydon yesterday, when winter returned to London with intense cold and snowfall in many districts—a sharp contrast to the summer sun of the previous week-end.—(Daily Mirror photograph.)

## CHARGE AGAINST NEPHEW



Mrs. Louisa St. Aubyn Montagu leaving Westminster Police Court yesterday, when her nephew, John Arthur Rogers, was remanded with a young woman on a charge of stealing jewellery from Mrs. Montagu's home, Lynford Hall, Mundford, Norfolk.

## A FAMOUS SURGEON'S PET



Sir John Bland-Sutton, the famous surgeon, with his pet cat Tim. Of remarkable size, Tim has just celebrated his tenth birthday, and performs a number of clever tricks, which add to his popularity.



Russell, the Essex cricketer, who has just returned from Durban, where his play made cricket history, autographing a Regent but to be sold in aid of Southampton Hospital.



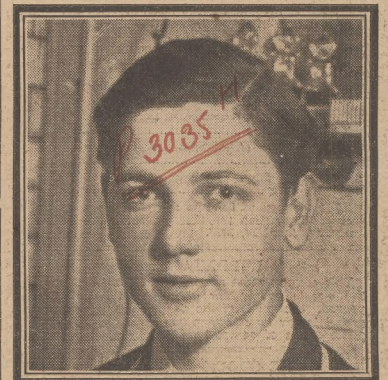
Police Constable John Cozens, who at Bow-street was given a cheque for £8 in recognition of his gallantry in saving a child from death in a midnight fire at Battersea.



ALDERMAN ENTERTAINER.—Alderman Joseph Shephard, chairman of Grimsby Corporation Fire Brigade, performing a conjuring trick during two hours of varied entertainment given by him.



A CRYSTAL GAZING CONTRAST.—Miss Barbara la Marr, with a clever ape actor in the Rex Ingram film, "Trifling Women," to be shown at the Palace Theatre on Friday next.



FIRST-HAND STUDY.—Carl Bergson, a boy who wished to enter the hotel-keeping business, worked as a page boy in a prominent American hotel, at which his mother was a resident.